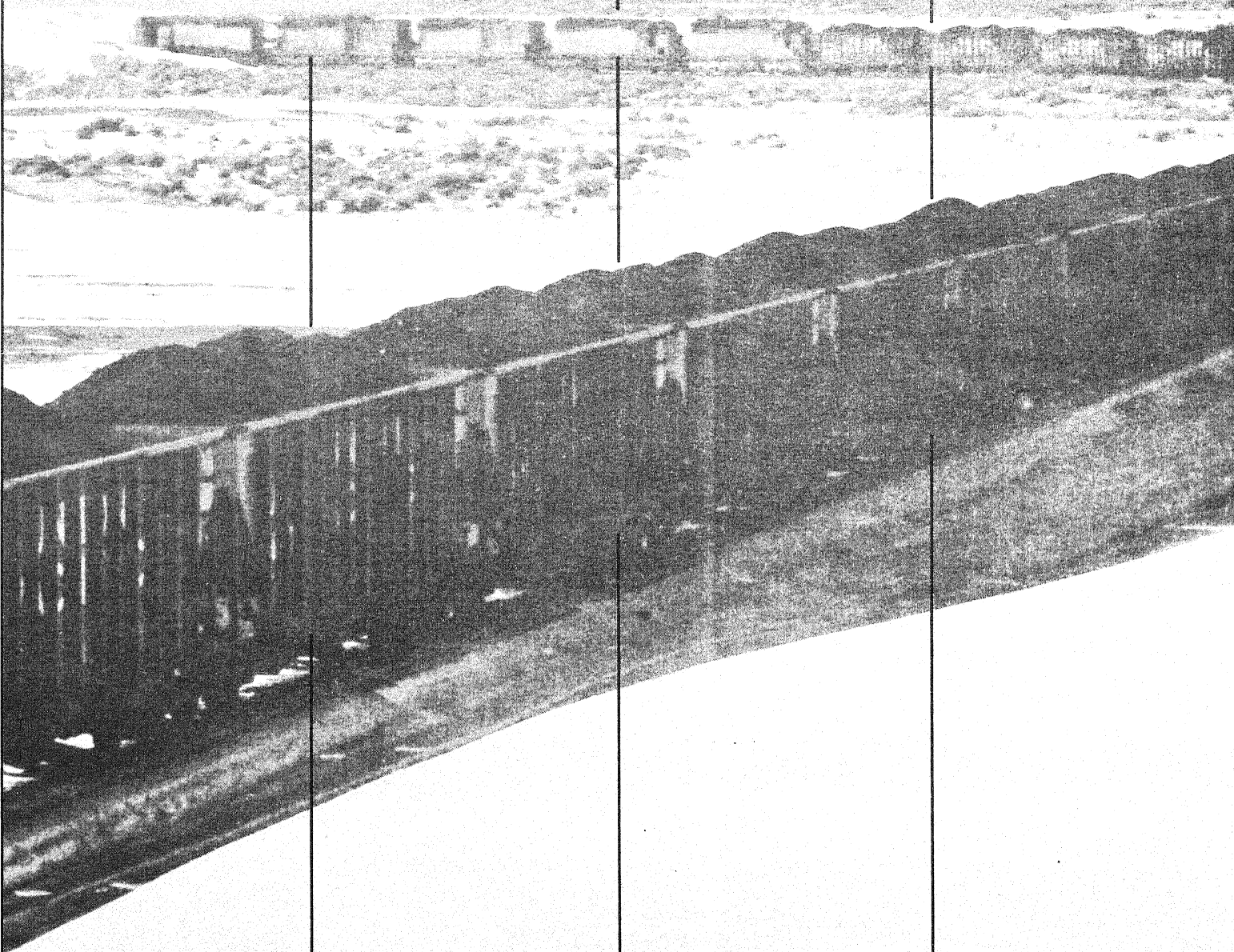


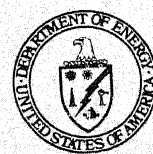
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Highlights



Production of bituminous coal and lignite in the week ended May 15, 1982, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, was 17,581,000 short tons. This was an increase of 132,000 short tons, or 0.8 percent from production in the previous week. Production in the corresponding week of 1981 was 8,947,000 short tons. Bituminous coal and lignite production from January 1 through May 15, 1982 totaled 325,445,000 short tons, up 21.2 percent from production in 1981.

Production of Pennsylvania anthracite in the week ended May 15, 1982, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, was 130,000 short tons, an increase of 1,000 short tons or 0.8 percent from production in the previous week. Production in the corresponding week of 1981 was 50,000 short tons. Anthracite production from January 1 through May 15, 1982 totaled 2,418,000 short tons, up 19.3 percent from production in 1981.

Figure 1. United States Bituminous Coal and Lignite Production, 1982 (Million Short Tons)

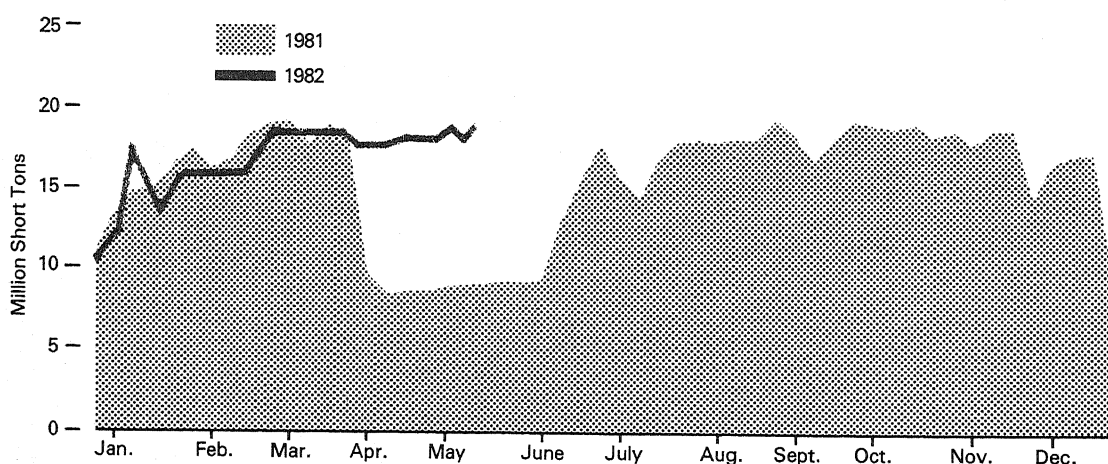
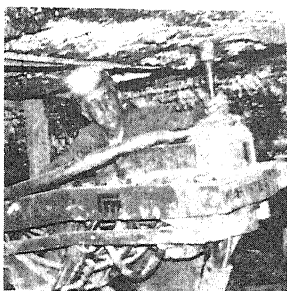


Table 1. United States Bituminous Coal and Lignite Production (Thousand Short Tons)

	Week Ending			Year to Date		Percent Change
	5/15/82	5/8/82	5/16/81 ^a	5/15/82	5/16/81 ^a	
Total Production	17,581	17,449	8,947	325,445	268,490	+21.2
Railroad Carloadings	118,818	117,941	62,534	2,194,454	1,883,888	

^aRevised.

Source: Weekly carloading reports, Car Service Division, and Association of American Railroads.

Table 2. Production of Bituminous Coal and Lignite, by State (Thousand Short Tons)

State	Week Ending		
	May 15, 1982	May 8, 1982	May 16, 1981 ^a
Alabama	572	568	44
Alaska	16	16	14
Arizona	221	219	294
Arkansas	4	4	5
Colorado	402	398	373
Georgia	-	-	-
Illinois	1,305	1,295	2
Indiana	642	638	224
Iowa	12	12	13
Kansas	16	16	19
Kentucky			
Eastern	2,309	2,291	1,320
Western	883	877	342
Total	3,192	3,168	1,662
Maryland	86	86	80
Missouri	110	110	47
Montana	683	677	740
New Mexico	402	398	323
North Dakota	366	364	337
Ohio	823	817	293
Oklahoma	112	112	68
Pennsylvania	1,767	1,753	777
Tennessee	201	199	150
Texas	663	657	615
Utah	301	299	127
Virginia	883	877	506
Washington	104	104	119
West Virginia	2,570	2,550	105
Wyoming	2,128	2,112	2,010
Total	17,581	17,449	8,947

^aRevised.

Source: Weekly carloading reports, Car Service Division, Association of American Railroads, and selected State agencies.

Figure 2. Pennsylvania Anthracite Production, 1982 (Thousand Short Tons)

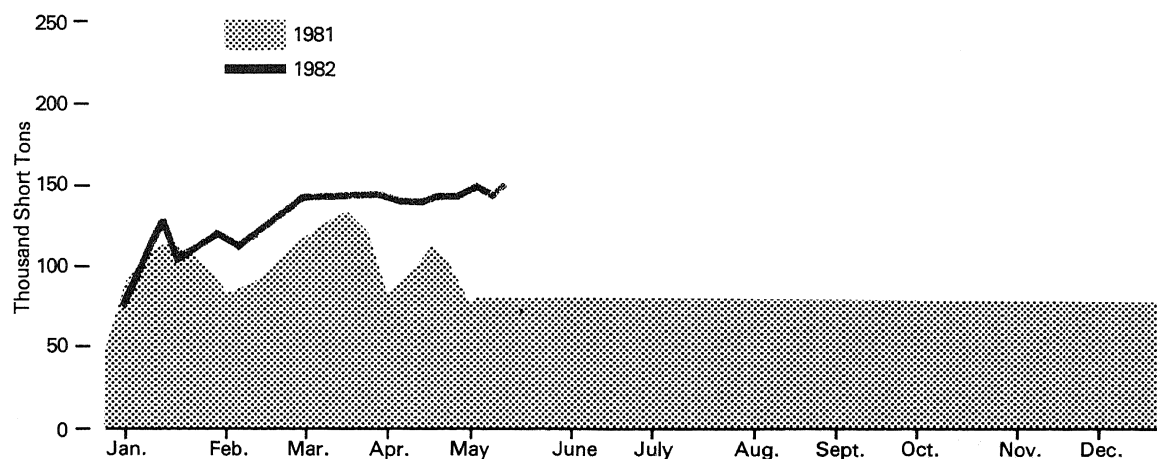


Table 3. United States Anthracite Production (Thousand Short Tons)

	Week Ending			Year to Date		Percent Change
	5/15/82	5/8/82	5/16/81 ^a	5/15/82	5/16/81 ^a	
Total Production	130	129	50	2,418	2,027	+19.3
Railroad Carloadings	417	154	279	3,825	4,212	

^aRevised.

Source: Weekly carloading reports, Car Service Division, and Association of American Railroads.



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